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Via ECFS
Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
445 12th Street, S.W.
Washington, D.C. 20554

**Re: In the Matter of Petition of USTelecom for Forbearance Pursuant to
47 U.S.C. Section 160(c); WC Docket No. 18-141; Category 1**

Dear FCC,

I currently use DSL in a market with DSL competition. My provider is not the owner of the phone lines, so if the owner were allowed to charge my provider extra and drive up their prices, my choices would be effectively reduced.

Also, I live in San Francisco. We're the heart of the tech industry, yet only a small portion of the city has residential fiber internet! It's very difficult to get fiber installed in the SF infrastructure. It's crucial that any fiber that is installed can be used by providers that did not do the installation. Otherwise, SF residents will be without fiber competition for a long time to come.

Please help the consumer and foster choice by continuing to allow broadband competition.

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